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2017 Ohio Crop Values Summary

The preliminary farm value of Ohio field crops produced in 2017 was \$4.87 billion, down 2 percent from 2016, according to Cheryl Turner, State Statistician of the USDA, NASS, Ohio Field Office. There was an increase in corn production but a decrease in soybean price and production and a decrease wheat production. Some Ohio highlights from the report follow:

- Corn for grain value was up 4 percent to \$1.97 billion in 2017. The average price was 3.55 per bushel.
- Soybean value of \$2.39 billion decreased 6 percent from 2016. The average price was \$9.50 per bushel.
- All wheat value was down 17 percent to \$158 million. The average price was \$4.90 per bushel.
- Oat value decreased 13 percent to \$4.9 million. The average price was \$3.50 per bushel.

Nationally:

- U.S. corn for grain value decreased 6 percent to \$48.5 billion in 2017.
- Soybean value in the U.S. was up 1 percent to \$41 billion.
- U.S. all wheat value was down 11 percent to \$8.10 billion.

Value of Crop Production, 2016-2017

Crop	Ohio				United States			
	Price per unit		Value of production		Price per unit		Value of production	
	2016	2017	2016	2017	2016	2017	2016	2017
	<i>Dollars</i>	<i>Dollars</i>	<i>Million dollars</i>	<i>Million dollars</i>	<i>Dollars</i>	<i>Dollars</i>	<i>Million dollars</i>	<i>Million dollars</i>
Total field and misc. crops	NA	NA	4,981.9	4,873.9	NA	NA	142,605.2	141,445.4
Corn for Grain.....Bushel	3.61	3.55	1,894.2	1,966.7	3.36	3.30	51,304.3	48,465.5
All Hay.....Ton	137.00	134.00	340.8	347.8	129.00	140.00	15,552.2	16,155.1
Soybeans.....Bushel	9.66	9.50	2,548.1	2,393.6	9.47	9.30	40,690.8	41,007.5
All wheat.....Bushel	4.25	4.90	190.4	157.7	3.89	4.60	9,179.4	8,142.1
Oats.....Bushel	3.04	3.50	5.6	4.9	2.06	2.60	154.2	139.7
Maple syrup.....Gallon	39.80	(¹)	2.8	(¹)	35.00	(¹)	147.2	(¹)

¹ The 2017 price and value will be published in "Crop Production" released June 2018.

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